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Prices are down to bed rock, our store is crowded every day with customers. Why? Because people appreciate the saving on their purchases during this sale. A square deal and no fake sale; goods marked in plain figures and sold as advertised. Only a few more days to buy goods at present low prices.

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DIET G. REMPEL
Dallas, Oregon

WINGED M'S VICTORS

Morning Oregonian Tells of Dallas-Multnomah Game.

In a basketball game that was anybody's until the finish, the Multnomah Club team won the Dallas College last night in the Multnomah gymnasium, 15 to 13, says the Sunday Oregonian. This was the first game of the season for the clubmen.

The contest was rough and the teams seemed to enjoy spilling their opponents on the floor, but the referee did not call many fouls. The Multnomah boys played a clean game during the first half but in the second adopted the same policy as their opponents.

The Dallas players did not play up to the mark set by last year's championship aggregation from the same institution. Shaw, one of the Dallas stars last season, did not run over Morris, the M. A. C. center, at any stage of the game, although his work was consistent. Fenton was the star performer of the game.

The Dallas boys excelled the Multnomahs somewhat in general team work, but most of the time were unable to negotiate with the basket. They did their best work in the first half. The score at the end of the first half was 6 to 5 in favor of Multnomah. In the second half both teams gingered up and more baskets resulted, the winged M's making one more than their opponents.

Morris played a star game for the clubmen at center. Fischer, the left forward, was all over the field at the same time and made more baskets than any other player in the game.

Barton, who went in in the middle of the second half, made a spectacular field goal from the side line near the middle of the field. Barton's work was largely responsible for the victory of the clubmen.

Dallas scored first after two minutes of play on a field goal by Ballantyne. For several minutes there was nothing more doing for either team until Fenton hit a pretty one into the basket at close range and later threw another from a different angle.

When the score was 9 to 6 for Dallas, Barton replaced Percy and soon after made the best throw of the evening.

With four minutes left to play, Fenton hit the ball into the basket at close range on a toss-up by the referee, and made the score 13 to 13. Dallas scored no more and with but a few seconds left to play Fischer tossed from a different angle and scored the points necessary to win the game.

The teams lined up as follows:

M. A. C.	Position	Dallas
Fischer	R F	W. Ballantyne
Youngs	L F R	Goode
Morris	C	Fenton
Percy	R G L	Shaw
Allen, Barton	L G R	F. Boydston

Summary—Fischer goals, Ballantyne 1, Fenton 3, Boydston 4, Fischer 4, Morris 1, Barton 1; thrown fouls, Ballantyne, Fenton 2, Youngs 3; fouls, Ballantyne 2, Fenton 2, Shaw 2, Fischer 1, Morris 2, Percy 1, Allen 5; referee, L. Rice; scorer, Ralph Knight; timers, Johnson and Krohn; time of halves, 20 minutes each.

FAVOR ASSEMBLY PLAN
WOULD SIMPLIFY PRIMARY TANGLES, SAY ADVOCATES.
Only Three Republicans out of Thirty-Four Interviewed Oppose Proposed Method.

Influential Republicans throughout the state, from Klamath county on the south to Baker county on the north, are united in their advocacy of state and county assemblies this year. This sentiment is further reflected in the interviews published in the Sunday Oregonian, which were obtained from prominent members of the party in eight widely separated counties, representative of every section of the state.

The counties from which interviews were presented are: Baker, Josephine, Klamath, Lane, Sherman, Umatilla, Union and Wasco.

In all, 37 Republicans were asked to give their opinion of the proposed assembly. Of that number only three declared their opposition to this systematic plan for recommending suitable candidates to the voters, prior to the primary election.

The three dissenting voices are those of S. A. Lowell and C. A. Bartlett, of Umatilla county, and W. G. Browley, of Baker county. Attorney of Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Umatilla county, Judge Lowell withholds his endorsement of the assembly plan for the reason that he suspects it is a movement to renege the old convention system. He makes the charge that the advocates of the assembly are machine politicians. While admitting that mistakes have been made under the direct primary, he says he is willing to trust to the "masses," hoping that a repetition of past blunders may be avoided in the future.

Mr. Bartlett, who was twice elected State Representative from the assembly county, is also opposed to the Republican bill. He says that the members of the last Legislature who found it necessary to vote for a Democrat for United States Senator. In his interview he expresses the belief that the direct primary in its present form will not work out satisfactorily if given a chance.

The third man of the 37 who declines to endorse the assembly is Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Browley, of Baker county. Mr. Browley would have the direct primary law amended so that party lines may be drawn more clearly, but he is not in favor of the Republicans assembling by duly elected representatives and recommending to the voters candidates best qualified for public office.

The other 34 Republicans who were interviewed are a unit in declaring for the assembly. It is only in the details as to organization of the county assemblies and the manner in which delegates should be selected that there is any difference of opinion. Several of them are willing to leave these questions for determination by the members of the state and county central committees.

COAD WILL EXAMINE
Tests of Census Takers Will Be Held in Dallas, February 5.

In reply to an inquiry, Supervisor R. J. Hendrickson announces that tests of candidates for the position of census enumerator will be held on Saturday, February 5.

These tests will be taken by the Supervisor at the Salem postoffice, in the rooms on the second floor. They will be taken at Oregon City, Dallas, Albany, and the various postoffices throughout the First congressional district, under the direction of the various postmasters, acting for the supervisor. The candidates will take the tests at the postoffices that are the most convenient for them.

Candidates will be furnished with the full list of postoffices at which tests will be taken, and cards of admission will be mailed—cards admitting them to take the tests. Every candidate will also receive by mail a sample of the population and of the agricultural schedules, together with a circular concerning the test. Every candidate who fills his or her application, in writing, with the supervisor by the last day of this month, will be entitled to take the test. There will probably be 1700 candidates in this district. There are 382 places to fill.

WED IN CALIFORNIA
Former Dallas Girl Marries Son of Prominent Spanish Family.

The Santa Barbara Morning Press, of January 7, contains the following account of the wedding of Mr. Joseph B. and Miss Clyde Cooper:

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NEW COAST INDUSTRY
Portland Mill Will Create Home Market for Mohair.

The mohair growers of Polk County, the banner Angora goat county of the Pacific Northwest, are greatly interested in the completion of the new mohair mills at Seaside, as it is believed that the establishment of such an industry on the coast will exert a marked influence on the local hair market. According to the Oregonian, it is expected that the new plant will be completed and in operation by February first. Machinery is now to be installed as fast as it is received.

One new building, 118 by 160, has been erected for the wool shed. It is of brick construction. The other buildings used in the plant were secured in the purchase of the ground and plant of the Ross Woolen Scouring Mills. The investment is about \$50,000.

It is an entirely new industry, and it is the only plant of the sort west of the Missouri River. Mohair used in the factory will come from different sources, but largely from the Coast counties. Lining and other mohair fabrics will be turned out. John E. Young, of Portland, is president of the company, and all the investors are Portland men.

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OUR MARKET LETTER

Receipts and Sales at Portland Union Stock Yards.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 15.—Liberal cattle receipts; hog receipts that have been more in keeping with the demand and the opportunity for selling at profitable prices, and a very little sheep receipts have been the qualifications of the Portland live stock market since our last report to you.

The market for cattle has been good, and despite the liberal receipts of hogs, the market for top quality has remained firm with a higher tendency. Some top loads sold for \$2.20, others for \$2.15, while the bulk of the market sold at \$2.00. There has been a fair range of quality in the offering of swine and the market can be said to have been brisk and satisfactory to the sellers.

Few sheep, offerings have sold for all they were worth. Weathers sold for \$3.25 and some good lambs for \$5.50. The receipts for the week have been as follows: Cattle, 1739, calves 83, sheep 422 and hogs 1899.

Following are the quotations on all classes of live stock: Best steers \$3 to \$3.25; fair to good \$4 to \$4.50; strictly good cows \$4 to \$4.25; fair to good \$2.75 to \$4; calves, light \$5.25 to \$5.50; heavy \$4 to \$4.50; spayed heifers \$4.50 to \$4.75; bulls \$2.75 to \$3.50; best wethers \$5.25 to \$5.75; fair to good \$4.50 to \$5; best lambs \$6 to \$6.50; top hogs \$9 to \$9.20; fair to good \$8.75 to \$9.

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A. M. SANDERS IS DEAD

PROMINENT OREGON EDUCATOR SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA.

News of Death Causes Great Sorrow in Dallas, Where He Had Many Friends.

Professor Amasa M. Sanders, a former merchant of Dallas, and later one of the leading educators of Oregon, died of pneumonia at his home in Albany, Oregon, Friday night, January 14, at 11:30 o'clock. The news of his death reached Dallas, Saturday morning, and caused deep sorrow among the many friends who had known and respected him since the days of his early manhood.

Professor Sanders' last illness was of only a week's duration. In company with Mrs. Sanders, he had spent the holiday vacation in Roseburg, at which time he was apparently enjoying the best of health. A few days after his return to Albany, he became ill with pneumonia and sank rapidly until death relieved him of his suffering.

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